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Senate Resolution 1301

By: Senator Meyer von Bremen of the 12th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring and commending Louise Darley on the occasion of her retirement; and for other
- 2 purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Louise Darley is retiring on December 31, 2008, after 24 years of distinguished
- 4 service to the Terrell County Superior Court, where she honorably served as the Terrell
- 5 County Superior Court Clerk; and
- 6 WHEREAS, she is a native of Mitchell County and received her Associate degree in
- 7 secretarial science in 1972 from Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College, and she moved to
- 8 Dawson in November, 1973; and
- 9 WHEREAS, she began her duties as Superior Court Clerk on January 1, 1984, and through
- 10 the years, she has overseen numerous changes and improvements in the clerk's office,
- 11 including the transition from handwritten and typed records to the transfer of all court
- 12 documents onto computers; and
- 13 WHEREAS, Mrs. Darley's tremendous commitment to her community is further
- demonstrated by her service as President of the Superior Court Clerk Association from 1998
- 15 to 1999 and her more than eight years of service on the Training Council of the Clerks
- 16 Association, where she greatly contributed to the council's development and implementation
- 17 of a training and certification program for superior court clerks; and
- 18 WHEREAS, her outstanding abilities, expertise, and diligence enabled her to excel as the
- 19 clerk of court for Terrell County and she was selected as the Clerk of the Year for the Second
- 20 District of Georgia in 1994; and
- 21 WHEREAS, she is a faithful member of the Dawson First Baptist Church, where she has
- served as church clerk, as a member of the choir and the Church Personnel Committee, and
- 23 in many other capacities; and

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1 WHEREAS, she is a devoted wife to her husband, Ashley Darley, and in retirement, she

- 2 hopes to spend more time with her family and more time riding her motorcycle; and
- 3 WHEREAS, she has been an outstanding public servant, contributing greatly to her
- 4 community and the State of Georgia, and it is only fitting and proper that this distinguished
- 5 Georgia citizen be appropriately recognized.
- 6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
- 7 commend Louise Darley, an exemplary public servant, for her many years of valuable
- 8 service to the Terrell Superior Court and extend their sincere wishes for a prosperous and
- 9 happy retirement.
- 10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 11 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Louise Darley.